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For: BATTERY POWERED TABLE SAWS

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

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Sir:

Please amend the above-captioned patent application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

18. (Once Amended) A table saw as in claim 17, wherein the blade case further comprises a handle having a rear portion defined closest to the pivotal axis and a front portion defined farthest from the pivotal axis, wherein the battery mounting device is disposed at the rear portion of the handle.

24. (Once Amended) A table saw as in claim 23, wherein the blade case further comprises a handle having a rear portion defined closest to the pivotal axis and a front portion defined farthest from the pivotal axis, wherein the

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